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9th Infantry Division Looking For Musicians

FORT LEWIS, WA.--The 9th Infantry Division is looking for trumpeters, trombonists, percussionists, piano players, and an assortment of other qualified musicians to play with the official Division band here.

Included in the Division's Unit of Choice program which guarantees enlistees 16 months service with the 9th Division, the band presently has vacancies in the following musical specialties: Coronet/Trumpet, Trombone, Saxophone, Percussion, Piano.

Staff Sergeant Kennth Foster, a tuba and trombone player with the band, said that additional openings will be come available shortly through separation from active duty of current band members.

Full-time duty with the band, Foster said, includes daily practice sessions, usually in the morning, with a busy schedule of appearances both on the installation and in civilian communities throughout the Northwest.

The road trips, some ranging as far away as San Francisco, are usually one-day affairs, but frequently involve two and three days travel. In addition to martial music, the band gives instrumental and concert performances and includes an 18 piece stage and dance ensemble.

There is ample opportunity to cross-train in other than one's primary instrument, Foster said.

Those qualified individuals interested in additional information about the enlistment option and service with the 9th Division and Fort Lewis band should contact their local Army recruiter or call the post's bandmaster, CW4 Brown, at 96-72795.

CIVITAN SPONSORS YOUTH SEMINAR AT PLU

More than 120 high school students from western Washington and Oregon attended a youth citizenship seminar this past week at Pacific Lutheran University. The seminar was sponsored by the Orewa District of Civitan International.

Dr. Nicholas Nyaradi, director of the school of international studies at Bradley University in Illinois, was the principal speaker. His topic was "It isn's easy to be an American."

Other major speakers included Thomas Swayze Jr., speaker of the Washington State House of Representatives, Gisela Taber, executive director of the Washington State Women's Council; Bob Roberts, Seattle radio commentator; Rev. Mike Gower, First Baptist Church, Salem, Ore.' and Joseph Dodd, Salem businessman.

Purpose of the five day July 9-13 seminar, according to director Charles Snelson of Renton was to give youth an understanding of the basic priniciples of giverment and the knowledge that American citizenship is a priceless possession.

Delegates were selected on the basis of leadership, character, scholarship, service and citizenship, he indicated.

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HOLDING HANDS

HARRISBURG, Md. - President Nixon toured flood ravaged southeastern Pennsylvania last week and landed at Harrisburg where an eight-year-old who only identified herself as "Jess" grasped the President's hand as he circulated among crowds of victims. "The most moving thing was the kid that grabbed my hand," Nixon told his escort at William Penn High School. "Children often grab the hands of older people. In something like this, people want something to hold onto."

Rev. J.A. Boles Leaves His Colleagues With Parting Advice

The Rev. J.A. Boles, pastor of St. John Baptist Church, presided over his last meeting as chairman of the Board of Trustees of Tacoma's Metropolitan Development Council July 11 and left his colleagues on the Board this parting advice:

"I am very proud of the Board and MDC and its accomplishments. Sometines we don't remember that people are human beings and we criticize more than we praise. I do hop and pray that you will find a kind of job in working with this Board as I have.

"It is with some regrets that I leave. I have been with this Board since its inception."

Mr. Hezekiah "Bill" Gilven was named to Mr. Boles' place on the Board.

Elected to succeed Mr. Boles as chairman of MDC--a nonprofit community development corporation that administers anti-poverty projects in Tacoma and other federal programs on a regional basis--was State Sen. Booth Gardner. Gardner is president of the Laird Norton Co. in Seattle.

Other new officers are Mrs. Ora Allen, vice president; Charles W. Hellar, treasurer; and Mrs. Phyllis Gill, secretary.

New trustees, besides Gilven, are Hellar, Mrs. Lilly Piva; Mrs. Regina Glenn, director of manpower planning for the City of Tacoma; Tacoma Police Chief Lyle Smith; Mrs. Tomie Petitt and Mrs. Pat Edmundson.

For the seventeenth consecutive year Tacoma area high school youths are being invited to participate in the Tacoma Public Schools' Summer Forestry Camp. The 10-day program will be held at the Lincoln Tree Farm from July 26 to August 8. It is open citywide to high school boys and girls.

The program, under the direction of David Trier, has a limited enrollment. Registrations will be accepted at either Wilson or Lincoln high schools or at the office of extended education in the district's Central Administration Building. Students participating in the program can earn one high school credit.

The program is designed to inform students about the forest environment and the many occupations included in its management and use. It presents vocational information and practical field problems in all phases of resource management. Students will learn practical surveying, geology and wildlife management.

Professionals from the American Plywood Association; the State departments of Labor and Industries, Game and Natural Resources; Manke and Sons; the United States Forest Service; St. Regis Paper Company; Pacific Equipment Company and the Puget Sound Plywood Company will speak to the students.

In addition they will visit places such as the Chamber Creek Game Farm and Hatchery, the West Tacoma Newsprint mill, Point Defiance Park and many others.

THE FLYING "FREIGHT TRAIN" ARE HERE

FORT LEWIS, WA.--The Flying "Freight Trains" are here.

That's the nickname of Fort Lewis' newest aviation unit, the 243rd Assault Support Helicopter Company, part of the 10th Aviation Battalion.

The company is equipped with CH-47 heavy cargo helicopters, commonly known as Chinooks. It has two of the big twin-rotor craft which can lift payloads of near seven tons and expects to receive 14 more. The Chinook can transport a platoon of infantrymen and their equipment.

Lieutenant Colonel James R. Massengill, 10th Aviation commander, presided at formal activation ceremonies for the Unit July 5. Captain Donald Huckeby is acting company commander and 1st Sergeant William Davis its top NCO.

The 23rd was inactivated here in August 1971 after serving in Vietnam with the 10th Aviation.

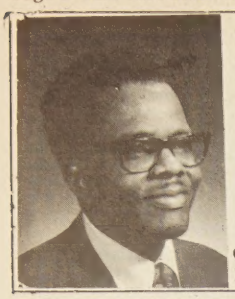
Its mission will be to support 9th Infantry Division and post operations. For openers, the Chinook crews are working out a system for airborne fire fighting operations.

They demonstrated use of the Chinook to haul a 450-gallon fiberglass bucket which filled weighs about two toms to dump water on a forest or grass fire.

The dousing pinches off the flames while ground crews move in with bulldozer and other equipment. Officers said they hope to acquire a thousand-gallon bucket. Filled it would weigh about five tons.

Post Fire Chief Tom Riley, forester Paul Carbough who supervises operation of four fire lookout towers, and Stephen Kluvers, fire fighting technician, viewed a demonstration of the flying bucket brigade.

Helicopters carrying water buckets have been used by national and state forestry services in firefighting for several years, but most have a much smaller lift capacity than the Chinooks.



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Atlanta, GA--In a "challenge to action," Dr. Ralph David Abernathy has warned the Democratic Party that "the progressive voting forces of this nation will not support any candidate for local, state or federal office who does not respond clearly to the issues."

The President of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference cited issues of vital concern to poor people, minorities, the young, and workers, in testimony before the National Democratic Party Convention Platform Committee. This committee will draft the platform for the party's national convention in Miami Beach next month.

Dr. Abernathy reminded the committee that poor people will be encamped in Miami Beach in "Resurrection City II" during the convention, for the purpose of challenging the party and its Presidential ticket to speak to the issues.

He also stated that SCLC, as a nation-wide organization, will be active in voter registration and political education throughout the 1972 election campaign. "We have strategically placed about the country 300 affiliate organizations, served by 56 national staff members."

These forces, along with millions of others, the SCLC leader said, have joined ina "counter-campaign" to place the political issues before national parties. "We want this platform committee to know and understand that in Miami Beach this summer, our challenge must be heard and met, if a new President is to be elected," Dr. Abernathy said.

He testified in detail on the issues, including the need for the following actions: An immediate end to the war in Vietnam by withdrawing all U.S. troops and ending support of the Saigon regime; complete health care for all; sharp reduction in military spending and the arms race; rebuilding of the cities; decent housing and transportation for all; an end to hunger; an end to special tax privileges and subsidies for the rich; a guaranteed income for all; protection of the right of all workers to organize unions; outlawing racist policies of the government; quality education for all; and jobs for all.

A major point made by Dr. Abernathy was that "leading Democratic contenders for the Presidency have recently referred to a 'welfare mess' in our nation and have refused to deal specifically with this issue.

"Mr. Chairman, to what welfare mess are these Presidential contenders referring," Dr. Abernathy asked. "Is is to the welfare mess of the rish, like Senator Eastland of Mississippi, who has been paid $13,000 a month in tax money not to grow cotton on his plantation?"

Dr. Abernathy cited the following statistics on the realities of welfare: 55.5% goes to children under 16 years of age; 18.6% goes to mothers with children under the age of six; 15.6% goes to people over 65; 9.4% goes to the blind and disabled; and less that one per cent -- 0.9% -- goes to able-bodied men who could work if they could find a job at a time when six millon workers are already unemployed.

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Ali To Fight Patterson

Muhammad Ali, wearing tie, and Floyd Patterson in contract-signing ceremony. They fight 12-round bout August 12. Between them is Harry Markson, the Garden matchmaker.

NEW YORK - Acting as if he had just finished a dual course with Amy Vanderbilt and Dale Carnegie, Muhammad Ali signed yesterday for a 12-round fight with Floyd Patterson at Madison Square Garden,

Ali appeared with Patterson at Felt Forum for the formal signing and a news conference and for the most part, in a rare form of behavior, was subdued, polite and full of praise for the man he taunted and beat up in Las Vegas seven years ago.

The fight was made even though each fighter has a bout before the Garden date - Patterson against Pedro Agosto at Singer Bowl in Flushing Meadows, July 14, and Ali against Al (Blue) Lewis in Dublin, Ireland, July 19.

If either Patterson or Ali should lose, thereby decreasing the interest in their fight, the Garden has the option to cancel the match.

Patterson, speaking in his usual soft, almost inaudible voice, said he would have preferred that the Garden hold the announcement of the fight until after his bout with Agosto. "I don't take any bout for granted," he said.

Ali, though, didn't care when the fight was announced, contending in his typical immodest fashion that "it's impossible for me to lose." But in discussing Patterson, he was much more a typical.

"I thought he was finished," Ali said. "But like a ghost, he keeps coming back. It's something to see him still going like he is. He came back after Johansson, he came back after Liston, he came back after Quarry, he came back after me. Now he's in the lights of Madison Square Garden again.

"If Floyd Patterson whups me, Joe Frazier will look like nothing to him. Floyd Patterson is a better boxer than Frazier. He's a scientific boxer. He'd be like a school teacher to Frazier."

Ali didn't even get upset when Patterson referred to him by his former name, Cassius Clay.

"He's such a nice fella, talking so softly while I'm hollering," Ali said. "He still says Clay, but I can't even get mad at him he's so nice. Everybody else calls me Muhammad and he calls me Clay. He's the only one who can get away with it."

Frazier, on the other hand, can get away with nothing in Ali's devilish mind. The heavyweight champion is an integral part of Ali's routine, and he always comes out on the short end.

For instance, when Harry Markson, the Garden matchmaker, announced that the fight would be shown on close circuit television, Ali broke in and said:

"And not home TV like Joe Frazier. His fights are on closed circuits and satellites. His fights aren't even worth paying to see. Joe Frazier's fights are no where but on home TV."

Patterson was at the conference, too, but he didn't say much. Asked what he thought of Ali in his last couple of fights, the former two time champion said, "He didn't look like he lost anything. His combinations are just as fast."

For fighting for a second time against the man who stopped him in the 12th round of their 1965 fight, Patterson will receive guarantee of $125,000 or 25 per cent of the net proceeds. Ali will receive $250,000 or 35 per cent. The 37-year-old Patterson has 56 victories, seven losses and one draw, while Ali, 30, has lost only to Frazier in his 36 bouts.

WILKINS SPEAKS

A Setback For Right

It is difficult for millions of Americans to understand the reasoning of the Court's majority when the plain fact exists that but for state action in granting a liquor license, the Moose Lodge in Harrisburg, Pa., would not be able to refuse service at its bar to a black citizen. This is state action in support of racisl discrimination which is forbidden by the Constitution.

To argue otherwise as has Mr. Justice Rehnquist, is smelly hair-splitting which one seldom gets, this late in the century, from the highest court in the land.

This strange ruling leaves the door open for many places of public accommodations to claim to be private. It could mangle some sections of the 1964 Civil Rights law into an unrecognizable mess.

But the decision makes anything possible - even the period, 1896-1915, when Negro civil rights were non-existent and the U.S. Supreme Court was deaf to the plea that the U.S. Constitution included blacks as well as whites.

The majority of the Court may even be on its way back to the Dred Scott decision of 1857 when it held that a black man had no rights which a white man was bound to respect.

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Know Your Black History

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JULY 7, 1864 — The state of Maryland abolished slavery as practiced by whites against Blacks.

JULY 9, 1893 — Dr. Daniel Hale Williams, a black man, performed the world's first successful heart operation.

JULY 10, 1875 — Mary McLeod Bethune, famous educator and leader, was born.

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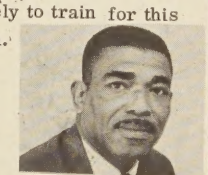

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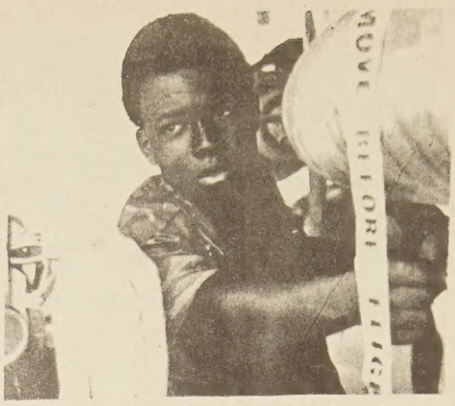
BEHIND THE SCENE WITH MARINES IN VIETNAM

Marine SSgt Frank H. Peace (San Diego, Calif.) receives a smile of approval from a Vietnamese admirer as he fills the fuel tank of a generator which will supply electrical power to KeSat orphanage near Bien Hoa Air Base. The generator was put in working condition by Marines of the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, during a recent good-will visit to Ke-Sat orphanage.



Marine LCpl Edward E. Williams (Washington, D.C.), an ordnance man with Marine Attack Squadron-211, readies the bomb load under an A-4 Skyhawk jet. Within hours after arriving at Bien Hoa Air Base, 15 miles north of Saigon, Williams' squadron, the "Wake Island Avengers", began blasting targets in support of South Vietnamese forces.

Marine Staff Sergeant Bobby Ward (Kansas City, Missouri), of Marine Aircraft Group-12, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, as he chats with Major General Leslie E. Brown, Commanding General of the 1st MAW, during the general's recent visit to Bien Hoa, Vietnam. Staff Sergeant Ward is with the maintenance team that keeps the Marine "Skyhawks" in the air.

TALKING IT OVER

TOP LEVEL MEETING — Al Bell, chairman of the board of the Stax Organization and vice-president of Stax Records, Inc., is shown meeting in New York with Kenneth Gibson, dynamic mayor of Newark, New Jersey. The two men met to discuss the expansion of Black-oriented business enterprises not only in Newark, but throughout the country.

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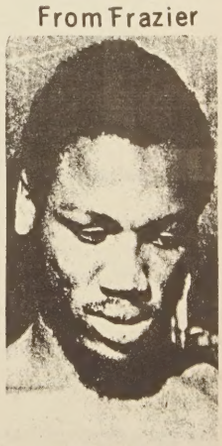
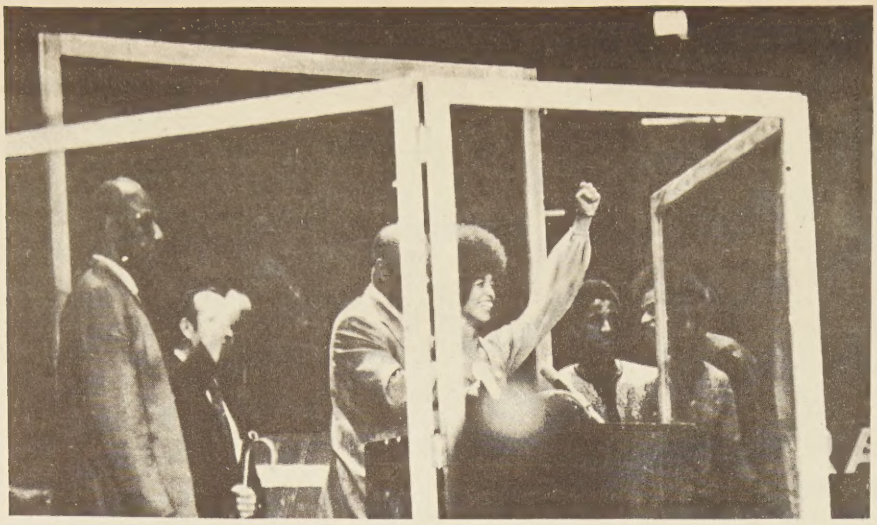


JOE FRAZIER

OKLAHOMA CITY — The Oklahoma Boxing Commission announced this week it was withdrawing its recognition of Joe Frazier as world heavyweight champion and would recognize the winner of a planned bout between George Foreman and Oscar Bonavena in Oklahoma City this fall.

The commission said it would refuse to recognize Frazier because of his "failure to defend his title against a bona fide contender in 16 months", or since Frazier won a unanimous decision over Muhammad Ali in New York on March 8, 1971.

The action of the commission and the announcement of the planned fight came in a news conference held by John Miskovsky, chairman of the commission; Dick Sadler, Foreman's manager, and promoters of the contest.



Free At Last

Thousands packed Madison Square Garden, last week, to lend support of Miss Angela Davis, who, just recently, was acquitted by an all white jury on charges of conspiracy to murder. Miss Davis, surrounded by members of her security force, is shown giving the clenched fist salute in response to the thunderous applause which greeted her as she entered behind her especially built bullet proof cubicle before addressing the audience. (Photo by Tex Harris)

Nixon Selects Jackie Robinson As 'Best All-Round Athlete'

NEW YORK — When President Nixon named him as the best all-round athlete in major league baseball history, Jackie Robinson seemed surprised but very pleased with the "real honor."

The former Brooklyn Dodger second baseman and the first black athlete in the major leagues said, "He's an individual making his picks and I'm honored that he thought of me in that way. It's great." Robinson, a member of the Baseball Hall of Fame, was Nixon's choice as the best National League second baseman for the years 1945 through 1970. The nation's no. 1 fan called Robinson the best all-around athlete because of Jackie's achievements in football and track at the University of California, Los Angeles.

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INDIVIDUALIZED INSTRUCTION THEME OF EDUCATION WORKSHOP, EXHIBIT AT PLU (T)

A national educational leader in the fields of occupational and special education, correction of drug abuse and special youth programs will conduct two workshops for educators July 24 to Aug. 4 at Pacific Lutheran University.

Dr. Virgil Hollis, superintendent of school for Marin County, Calif., will focus on the topics of individualized instruction and critical issues in education during the sessions, each of which will be held for three hours daily.

In conjunction with the workshops, Dr. Hollis and the PLU School of Education have arranged a comprehensive public exhibit of individualized instructional materials for schools. The display, scheduled for July 27-28, will include reader-printers, microfilm apparatus, teacher and student aids and other materials provided by 14 educational supply companies across the nation.

The largest display of its kind to be offered in the Tacoma area, the exhibit will be held in the PLU administration building from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. Educators and members of the public need not be enrolled in the workshop to inspect the materials, according to Dr. Kenneth Johnston, dean of the PLU School of Education.

The individualized instruction workshop sessions will be concerned with staff training, plant requirements, costs, effect on students and other matters, Hollis indicated.

Critical issues sessions will explore factors such as students unrest, student power, drug abuse, teacher and students freedoms and participation in the decision making process.

Hollis, who conducted similar summer workshops at PLU in 1970, holds a masters degree from the University of California, Berkeley, and a doctorate in school administration from Stanford University.

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TACOMA MODEL CITIES PROGRAM 622 TACOMA AVENUE SO. TACOMA, WA. 98402 593-4660

Weyerhauser Donates $350 to Narcotic Intake Center

Mr. A. D. Foote, Jr., Director of Narcotic Intake Drop-In Center, disclosed that Vincent Rowland, secretary to the Secretary of the Treasurer of Weyerhaeuser Company, presented a check in the amount of $350 to Narcotic Intake for the purchase of a drug film, "Epitaph."

The film, dealing with the drug problem in the black community will be shown for the first time on "Contact," a weekly television program on KTVW channel 13 as soon as it arrives from New York.

"Epitaph" will be a major tool in the Center's drug education seminars.

Jimmy Thompson and Nathan Young display Drug Demonstration Kit recently purchased by Narcotic Intake Drop In Center.

NARCOTIC INFORMATION

Are you still wondering what those strange looking pills were found in your son's desk? Could be he is beginning to use drugs. The Narcotic Drop-In Center located at the Tacoma Urban League, 1704 South Kay, is a federally funded program which has a component which could answer these questions for you or your friends.

The Narcotics Outreach staff is available to present films, and presentation to any organization or group in the community free of charge who may have an interest in combating drug abuse.

Recently, the Center purchased a demonstration drug kit which is filled with simulated drugs such as amphetamines and barbiturates that your children may become exposed to or may be using. The kit is on display at the Drop-In Center. A staff is available at all times to answer any questions you may have.

Housing Seminar

Tacoma Model Cities Program is sponsoring a Housing Seminar to be held July 22, at McCarver Elementary School, 25th & j, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Any Model Neighborhood resident who has an interest in the Housing and Physical Environmental Improvement Program, is encouraged to attend.

For further information call 593-4660.

The Seminar Agenda is as follows:

AGENDA

Registration

Harriet A. Williams, Community Involvement Specialist, Tacoma Model Cities Program

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
Harriet A. Williams

OBJECTIVES, ORGANIZATION AND CONDUCT OF SEMINAR
Harriet A. Williams

APPROPRIATE REMARKS
Keith Palmquist, Acting Director
Tacoma Model Cities Program

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKERS (IN SEQUENCE)
Harriet A. Williams

Housing Development Project - Alonzo D. Foote Sr. Housing Planner, Tacoma Model Cities Program

Land Use Review Board - Junior N. R. Ellis, Chairman Land Use Review Board.

235 Screening Committee - Dee Botley, Housing Coordinator, Tacoma MOdel Cities Program

Proposed Projects - Alonzo D. Foote Sr.

Current Projects - Alonzo D. Foote Sr.

Completed Projects - Alonzo D. Foote Sr.

Public Relations - John Pope, Information Specialist Tacoma Model Cities Program

QUESTIONS
Harriet A. Williams

Mental Health

The Tacoma Mental Health Project, contracted by Model Cities to the Comprehensive Mental Health Center, to provide Model Neighborhood residents with mental health resources has been in operation for nearly one year.

The project is staffed with one full-time employee, Mrs. Elizabeth L. Tuley, Community Mental Health Expediter and Mrs. Delois Brown, a psychiatric nurse, which provides consultant services eight hours a week.

Mrs. Tuley's primary function is to make contact with Model Neighborhood residents and assess their needs for counseling, crisis intervention, mental health information, "after-care" services, and any other referrals or contacts needed for supportive social and health services that need to be provided to the resident.

Mrs. Tuley states that "She has found that the economic and social conditions seem to be the attributing factor to necessitate the mental health project. There are only a few jobs because the majority of my clients are untrained and are not ready for training in their emotional state and some have very limited education; therefore, there isn't enough money for food, clothing and utilities."

Mrs. Tuley went on to say "I have visited 155 people in the Model Neighborhood Area, referring most of them to some agency for some services to eliminate problems which seem to be causing their emotional stresses, and about 50 percent to Mental Health facilities. I usually contact the agencies myself because I am able to get services faster than the client can for himself.

I have found that the only agency that many are aware of, is the Welfare Office. There are 400 agencies in Tacoma that deal with problems and offer services to people. It is unfortunate that I am the only person to spread these glad tidings."

Education Task Force

The task force has appointed a Scholarship Committee to screen all applications submitted to schools participating in the Model Cities Scholarship Program. Eighty scholarships are available to Model Neighborhood residents. The committee will record student progress during the year. For the listing of school or further scholarship information call Renee White or Deoris Carrere at 593-4660 or James H. Petty, Scholarship Committee Chairman at 627-6582.

Planning is in process for monthly training for Task Force members and residents. The task force has identified areas in which group training would benefit the force and the community. Each area will be presented and discussed by guest speakers. Some of the topics listed are:

Writing and understanding education proposals.

The advantages and disadvantages of team teaching.

Bussing of Model Cities youth.

The Education Seminar is scheduled for September 23rd, our work-shop team will prepare the agenda. The place and time will be announced in August.

The educational projects of Model Cities continue to work closely with the task force. Each project Director will make a monthly report on progress and problem areas. These projects are: Career Opportunity Program, Ester Wilfong, Director, Laymen Education Program, Nellie Palms, Director and TAcoma Area Child Tutoring, Phyllis Lane, Director.

The Education Task Force meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at Bethleham Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.

We welcome all residents and educational groups to sit in or participate in these meetings. For further information contact Luther Brown Jr., Education Task Force Chairman at 627-3209.

John Tresvant Visits UJAMAA

Baltimore Bullets and former Seattle University basketball player John Tresvant paid a visit to Ujamaa Culture and Recreation Center, during a recent trip to Tacoma.

Mr. Tresvant was in town seeking participation to his basketball camp, located at Snoqualmie Pass.

While at the Ujamaa Center, Mr. Tresvant discussed business and basketball with Center director Ellis Cain, who was unable to make a commitment due to lack of funds.

Boat Trip

The Tacoma Model Cities Youth Task Force is sponsoring a boat trip and picnic on Blake Island, Saturday, July 22, 1972. Games and races are planned throughout the day, such as volleyball and softball.

There will be hot dogs, potato chips, pop and other refreshment served.

The group will leave McCarver at 9 a.m. to go to Pier 23 to board the boat and we will return at approximately 7:30 p.m.

This activity can accommodate about 60 more persons who will be selected on a first come first served basis. All interested individuals must have a parental waiver form signed by their parents. This must be signed before one boards the bus. Forms may be picked up at Model Cities office Friday from 8 to 5 or Saturday morning between 8 and 9 a.m. at McCarver School.

Camping Trip and Camp "Excursion 1"

The Recreation Department is now planning for the first camping trip for the youth. "Camping Excursion 1."

Our first planned trip will be July 21, 1972 at Kopachuck State Park. All youths and supervisors will leave the Center at 1 p.m., Friday if weather permits.

Most cooking utensils will be supplied and there will be plenty of food and fun for everyone.

All youths interested must bring permission slips from their parents for approval.

UJAMAA Culture and Recreation Center Track

The Recreation Department is looking for youth interested in participating in a track meet to be held at U.P.S. football stadium.

All youth city-wide are welcome to enter, all events are open.

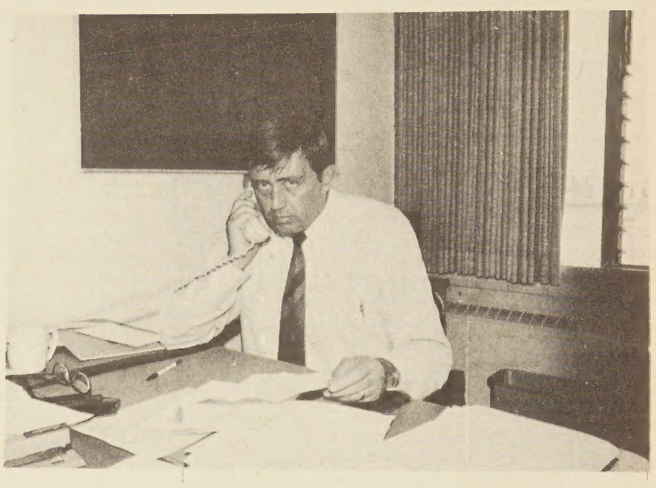
Suggested date and time will be July 26, 1972 at 12:30 p.m. A picnic will be held afterward where all awards will be presented to the winners.

For information contact Thomas Allen (Recreation Consultant) at MA 7-2117.

MODEL CITIES NEWS

Ron Dacus' guitar instruction class at Ujamaa Culture and Recreation Center. Mitch Mayes, Carl Marshall, and Lyle Black give instructor full attention. Classes in guitar instruction are held Mondays and Fridays from 4-6 p.m.

Director's Comments



Karate instructor Alohonse Bradley breaks brick with his hand during recent Culture and Recreation Seminar. Classes in Karate are held Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday 12 to 2 p.m.

Monthly Manpower Progress Report

TOTAL	June 30	157
MNR	June 30	99
Non-MNR	June 30	58
Minority	June 30	133
Other	June 30	24
Professional	June 30	50
Para-Professional	June 30	87
Clerical	June 30	20

The total here represented are the number of people employed by the Tacoma Model Cities Program. The only additions would be for three new projects, Youth Employment and Supplementary Education, Tacoma Veteran's Action Program and Property Rehabilitation Program which will employ a total of twenty-nine people. Model Neighborhood Residents (MNR's) will of course receive preference for these positions. The present timetable indicates that these positions should be filled by August!

The Model Cities goal of 100 percent MNR employment for all MC jobs at the end of three years is progressing on schedule. Now, MNR's represent 63 percent of our total employment. During the next two years, we must increase our MNR to Non-MNR ratio by 37 percent or 18.5 percent per year. We think with your help this goal is easily within our reach.

Task Force Schedule

SUPPORT YOUR MODEL CITIES PROGRAM

Your Model Cities Program is presently planning your future. Take you concerns off the street and make them work for you . . . PARTICIPATE!

Get on top of things before they happen. The following Task Forces are designed to hear your ideas on the short and long range needs of the community in the following areas:

SOCIAL SERVICES

Meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, Allen Memorial Church, 1411 Wouth Yakima, at 7:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 12. Carmen Bretzman is Task Force Chairman.

HEALTH

Meets the first and third Monday of each month, Sheridan Street Church of God, 2303 South Sheridan, 7:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 3. Task Force Chairman is Clarence Walker.

HOUSING

Meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, Miles Memorial Church, 1720 South "L" Street, 7:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 11. Harris York is Task Force Chairman.

LAW AND JUSTICE

Meets the second and fourth Monday of each month, St. John Baptist Church, 2001 South "J" Street, 7:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 10. Edward Massey is Task Force Chairman.

MANPOWER

Meets first and third Monday of each month, Shiloh Baptist Church, 1211 South "I" Street, 6:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 3. Sharon Lewis is Task Force Chairman.

CULTURE AND RECREATION

Meets second and fourth Wednesday of each month, Church of the Living God in Christ, 1955 South "M", 7:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 12. Task Force Chairman is Otto Breeding.

EDUCATION

Meets the second and fourth Monday of each month, Bethlehem Baptist Church, 1725 South "I" Street, 7:30 p.m. The next meeting is July 10. Task Force Chairman is Luther Brown, Jr.

YOUTH

Meets the first and third Thursday of each month, Emanuel Temple, 1121 South "G" Street, 6 p.m. The next meeting is July 6. Task Force Chairman is Russel Gayles.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Meets the second and fourth Thursday of each month, City Council Chambers, 3rd floor of the County-City Building, 7:30 p.m. Citizen input is desired and an agenda item . . . why not be there.

For more information, call Tacoma Model Cities, 593-4660, or visit our office located at 622 Tacoma Avenue South anytime between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

With the resignation of Mr. Frank Russell on July 1st, I became Acting Director of the Tacoma Model Cities Program.

The Model Neighborhood, its people, and problems are not new to me as you know. As a member of the staff in the City's Urban Renewal Department in 1966-1967, I prepared a report on Model Neighborhood conditions which was subsequently used as a basis for selecting the Hilltop area as the "Model Neighborhood".

I assisted in the preparation of the two applications to HUD for Model Cities funds and served on the Housing and Physical Improvement Task Force.

During the past 2½ years, I have been Assistant Director of the Program under two directors, Mr. Herman Walker and Mr. Frank Russell.

I have seen the foundation laid for significant improvement in the lives and environment of Model Neighborhood residents over the last several years. The time, effort, and money expended must not be in vain. I am pledged to continuing and improving the good programs already begun and finding new ways to be more responsive to the community's needs.

Our City Council and the City Manager and his staff is also enthusiastic about preserving the stronger and more innovative aspects of the Model Cities Program.

Toward that end, a new management team has been formed consisting of the Assistant City Manager, Erling Mork, the Deputy City Clerk, Leonard Morse, and the Human Relation's Director, James Walton, with liaison between the "team", the City Manager, and myself provided by the City Manager's Administrative Assistant, Mel Jackson.

We know that the life expectancy of the Model Cities Program is short and we hope to be able to take advantage of a new approach to funding of local programs called "revenue sharing" and continue to utilize much of the best of Model Cities.

In the months ahead, the team will study ways to integrate the staff and Model Cities "system" into regular general government. I can assure you that whatever evolves in the ensuing months, the needs of the Model Neighborhood will not be forgotten.

Keith A. Palmquist

Model Cities—Transportation Project

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